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herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the official  
policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

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Date: Fri, 3 Sep 1993 13:19:25 +0200  
From: news.univie.ac.blekul11!pbj@uunet.uu.net  
Subject: AMIGA/RTTY AND BAYCOM QUESTIONS  
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

Hello

Is it possible to use a Baycom compatible modem with the Amiga Computer ?

Is it possible to use a BBS sytems developped for the Baycom modem on an Amiga ?

Is it possible to run NOS like program and a Baycom modem on Amiga ?  
where can I get the drivers to drive a Baycom modem on an Amiga ?

Thanks a lot.

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Date: 3 Sep 93 19:43:03 GMT  
From: news.univie.ac.blekul11!pbj@uunet.uu.net  
Subject: AMIGA AND BAYCOM MODEM QUESTIONS  
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

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Pascal.

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Subject: AMIGA AND BAYCOM MODEM QUESTIONS  
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

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Subject: AMIGA AND BAYCOM MODEM QUESTIONS  
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

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Date: 3 Sep 93 15:45:02 EDT  
From: psinntp!arrl.org@uunet.uu.net  
Subject: Any interest in a DSP conference?  
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

Some of us here at ARRL HQ have been discussing the idea of putting together a conference, probably for next year, on digital signal processing in Amateur Radio. This would be along the lines of the ARRL Digital Conference (nee Computer Networking Conference), but focussing on applications of DSP to ham radio.

I've little doubt that we could get people to attend a conference like that, but I'm not sure whether we could get people to submit papers for it. There's not much point in having a conference unless you have presentations! Since many of the possible DSP applications apply to digital communications, there may be some cross-over between the existing Digital Communications

Conference and the proposed DSP conference, too.

So, I'm sounding the waters... are there folks out there who would be interested in submitting papers for such a conference? And are there any Amateur Radio organizations (clubs, etc) that would be interesting in hosting same? Or is this a dumb idea? Please let me know if you are interested.

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American Radio Relay League |  
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Date: 3 Sep 93 16:04:31 EDT  
From: psinntp!arrl.org@uunet.uu.net  
Subject: Contents of the ARRL 12th Digital Conference Proceedings  
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

(Note: the Digital Communications Conference, formerly called the Computer Networking Conference, will be held on Sept. 11 in Tampa, FL.)

List of papers, 12th ARRL Digital Communications Conference

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"Using Airborne Digital Repeaters in Emergency Communications,"  
by Gary Arnold, WB2WPA  
"A Prototype TNC-3 Design Approach, " by Bill Beech, NJ7P, Doug  
Nielsen, N7LEM, and Jack Taylor, N700  
"DSP Implementation of 300- and 1200-Baud FSK Packet  
Demodulators," by Jon Bloom, KE3Z  
"The ARDS Project," by Roy V. Ekbert, W0LIQ, and Martin R.  
Schroedel, K9LTL  
"Usage of TCP/IP Over ROSE in the Tampa Bay Area," by Chuck Hast,  
KP4DJT/TI3DJT  
"Unique Identification Signals for CCIR 625," by Michael J.  
Huslig  
"Network Information Services," by Brian A. Lantz, K04KS  
"Networking ANSI Color Graphics," by Brian A. Lantz, K04KS  
"Interfacing Between ROSE and TCP/IP," by Thomas A. Moulton, W2VY  
"Packet Radio in Disaster Situations," by Robert Osband, N4SCY  
"The HUB 5/29 IP Routing Experiment," by Paul Overton, G0MHD, and  
Ian Wade, G3NRW  
"A Low Cost Transceiver for 19.2 kb/s FSK Transmission in the 23  
cm Band," by Wolf-Henning Rech, N1EOW/DF9IC  
"Low Cost Entry Into Packet Radio Using BayCom," by Christopher  
C. Rendenna, KB2BBW  
"Improved TNC Interconnections," by Donald A. Rotolo, N2IRZ  
"Packet Tracker--A Graphical Packet Tracking Program," by Mark  
Sproul, KB2ICI

"Mail Tracker--A Graphical Mail Tracking Program," Keith Sproul,  
WU2Z

"The Client/Server Bulletin Board System (csbbs)," by Jim Van  
Peurse, KE0PH, and Bob Arasmith, N0ARY

"RMAILER: The Next Generation," by Frank Warren, Jr., KB4CYC

"SoftWire," by Aaron Wohl, N3LIW

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Date: 4 Sep 93 03:46:38 GMT

From: news-mail-gateway@ucsd.edu

Subject: Daily Solar Geophysical Data Broadcast for 03 September

To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

!!BEGIN!! (1.0) S.T.D. Solar Geophysical Data Broadcast for DAY 246, 09/03/93

10.7 FLUX=079.6 90-AVG=098 SSN=036 BKI=4445 4435 BAI=030  
BGND-XRAY=A2.8 FLU1=3.5E+05 FLU10=1.4E+04 PKI=3355 5445 PAI=034  
BOU-DEV=047,049,065,103,057,042,036,074 DEV-AVG=059 NT SWF=00:000  
XRAY-MAX= A5.2 @ 2116UT XRAY-MIN= A1.4 @ 2348UT XRAY-AVG= A3.5  
NEUTN-MAX= +002% @ 0440UT NEUTN-MIN= -003% @ 2220UT NEUTN-AVG= -0.2%  
PCA-MAX= +0.1DB @ 1835UT PCA-MIN= -0.7DB @ 1440UT PCA-AVG= -0.0DB  
BOUTF-MAX=55369NT @ 2301UT BOUTF-MIN=55309NT @ 1733UT BOUTF-AVG=55351NT  
GOES7-MAX=P:+000NT@ 0000UT GOES7-MIN=N:+000NT@ 0000UT G7-AVG=+066,+000,+000  
GOES6-MAX=P:+136NT@ 1709UT GOES6-MIN=N:-102NT@ 0958UT G6-AVG=+084,+020,-052  
FLUXFCST=STD:080,080,085;SESC:080,080,085 BAI/PAI-FCST=010,010,010/018,013,010  
KFCST=3345 3111 2123 3111 27DAY-AP=018,010 27DAY-KP=3444 3223 2343 2222  
WARNINGS=  
ALERTS=  
!!END-DATA!!

NOTE: The Effective Sunspot Number for 02 SEP 93 was 81.0.

The Full Kp Indices for 02 SEP 93 are: 1+ 1- 1- 2- 2+ 2o 2+ 1o

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Date: 4 Sep 93 01:20:58 GMT

From: news-mail-gateway@ucsd.edu

Subject: Daily Solar Geophysical Data Broadcast for 29 August

To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

!!BEGIN!! (1.0) S.T.D. Solar Geophysical Data Broadcast for DAY 241, 08/29/93

10.7 FLUX=090 90-AVG=101 SSN=064 BKI=3332 2212 BAI=009  
BGND-XRAY=A7.1 FLU1=1.6E+05 FLU10=1.3E+04 PKI=3332 2223 PAI=010  
BOU-DEV=021,027,028,010,017,010,005,019 DEV-AVG=017 NT SWF=00:000

XRAY-MAX= B1.7 @ 0946UT XRAY-MIN= A5.0 @ 0721UT XRAY-AVG= A8.6  
 NEUTN-MAX= +002% @ 2315UT NEUTN-MIN= -002% @ 2200UT NEUTN-AVG= -0.0%  
 PCA-MAX= +0.1DB @ 1415UT PCA-MIN= -0.2DB @ 2335UT PCA-AVG= -0.0DB  
 BOUTF-MAX=55373NT @ 1419UT BOUTF-MIN=55342NT @ 1717UT BOUTF-AVG=55359NT  
 GOES7-MAX=P:+000NT@ 0000UT GOES7-MIN=N:+000NT@ 0000UT G7-AVG=+072,+000,+000  
 GOES6-MAX=P:+110NT@ 1502UT GOES6-MIN=N:-078NT@ 0028UT G6-AVG=+090,+012,-053  
 FLUXFCST=STD:090,085,085;SESC:090,085,085 BAI/PAI-FCST=010,015,015/015,020,025  
 KFCST=2234 4332 2234 5444 27DAY-AP=006,004 27DAY-KP=3121 1222 1101 1222  
 WARNINGS=  
 ALERTS=  
 !!END-DATA!!

NOTE: The Effective Sunspot Number for 28 AUG 93 was 67.0.  
 The Full Kp Indices for 28 AUG 93 are not available.

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 Date: 4 Sep 93 02:26:18 GMT  
 From: news-mail-gateway@ucsd.edu  
 Subject: Daily Solar Geophysical Data Broadcast for 30 August  
 To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

!!BEGIN!! (1.0) S.T.D. Solar Geophysical Data Broadcast for DAY 242, 08/30/93  
 10.7 FLUX=089.0 90-AVG=100 SSN=059 BKI=1221 0002 BAI=003  
 BGND-XRAY=A8.1 FLU1=2.5E+05 FLU10=1.7E+04 PKI=2231 1212 PAI=006  
 BOU-DEV=008,011,017,007,004,002,003,015 DEV-AVG=008 NT SWF=00:000  
 XRAY-MAX= B1.8 @ 2359UT XRAY-MIN= A5.2 @ 0717UT XRAY-AVG= A9.1  
 NEUTN-MAX= +002% @ 1610UT NEUTN-MIN= -002% @ 2035UT NEUTN-AVG= -0.1%  
 PCA-MAX= +0.1DB @ 1405UT PCA-MIN= -0.3DB @ 2215UT PCA-AVG= -0.0DB  
 BOUTF-MAX=55373NT @ 2319UT BOUTF-MIN=55339NT @ 1634UT BOUTF-AVG=55359NT  
 GOES7-MAX=P:+000NT@ 0000UT GOES7-MIN=N:+000NT@ 0000UT G7-AVG=+081,+000,+000  
 GOES6-MAX=P:+115NT@ 0529UT GOES6-MIN=N:-066NT@ 1738UT G6-AVG=+097,+011,-046  
 FLUXFCST=STD:085,085,080;SESC:085,085,080 BAI/PAI-FCST=015,015,015/020,025,025  
 KFCST=2234 5322 2244 5222 27DAY-AP=004,016 27DAY-KP=1101 1222 2233 4434  
 WARNINGS=  
 ALERTS=  
 !!END-DATA!!

NOTE: The Effective Sunspot Number for 29 AUG 93 was 58.0.  
 The Full Kp Indices for 29 AUG 93 are: 3o 3- 3o 2o 2+ 2- 2- 3-

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 Date: 4 Sep 93 03:07:45 GMT  
 From: news-mail-gateway@ucsd.edu  
 Subject: Daily Solar Geophysical Data Broadcast for 31 August  
 To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

!!BEGIN!! (1.0) S.T.D. Solar Geophysical Data Broadcast for DAY 243, 08/31/93  
 10.7 FLUX=089.0 90-AVG=100 SSN=050 BKI=1110 0002 BAI=002  
 BGND-XRAY=A9.4 FLU1=4.2E+05 FLU10=1.2E+04 PKI=2111 2112 PAI=004  
 BOU-DEV=009,007,005,003,003,004,004,010 DEV-AVG=005 NT SWF=00:000  
 XRAY-MAX= B3.2 @ 1237UT XRAY-MIN= A7.3 @ 0750UT XRAY-AVG= B1.2  
 NEUTN-MAX= +002% @ 1815UT NEUTN-MIN= -002% @ 2235UT NEUTN-AVG= -0.1%  
 PCA-MAX= +0.1DB @ 1745UT PCA-MIN= -0.2DB @ 2245UT PCA-AVG= -0.0DB  
 BOUTF-MAX=55369NT @ 1318UT BOUTF-MIN=55334NT @ 1659UT BOUTF-AVG=55357NT  
 GOES7-MAX=P:+000NT@ 0000UT GOES7-MIN=N:+000NT@ 0000UT G7-AVG=+088,+000,+000  
 GOES6-MAX=P:+122NT@ 0530UT GOES6-MIN=N:-061NT@ 1805UT G6-AVG=+103,+011,-043  
 FLUXFCST=STD:090,090,090;SESC:090,090,090 BAI/PAI-FCST=015,015,015/015,025,015  
 KFCST=2244 5222 2244 5222 27DAY-AP=016,024 27DAY-KP=2233 4434 5544 3232  
 WARNINGS=  
 ALERTS=  
 !!END-DATA!!

NOTE: The Effective Sunspot Number for 30 AUG 93 was 53.0.  
 The Full Kp Indices for 30 AUG 93 are: 2- 2- 3- 1o 1+ 2o 1+ 2+

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 Date: Sat, 4 Sep 1993 05:14:19 GMT  
 From: swrinde!gatech!howland.reston.ans.net!agate!iat.holonet.net!  
 bwilkins@network.ucsd.edu  
 Subject: It's been almost 8 weeks - should I call?  
 To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

drenze@icaen.uiowa.edu (Douglas J Renze) writes:

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 : you call the FCC, then you're just taking up the time of the people who pro-  
 : cess the 610's. If rumor is true that they only do it on Tuesdays, then the  
 : time the processor spends looking for your file and talking to you probably  
 : would mean that at least 2-3 people will have to wait \*another\* week to get  
 : \*their\* ticket...which means they'll call, and another 6-9 people will have  
 : to wait at least another week for \*their\* tickets...and sooner or later,  
 : nobody's getting their tickets on time because the nice lady who processes  
 : the 610's is always answering the phone and doesn't have time to do any  
 : processing....and amateur radio as we know it is over with because you  
 : called the FCC to inquire about the status of \*your\* ticket!  
 :  
 : Pretty big load of guilt to bear, eh? ;-)  
 :  
 : Peace es 73 de Doug N0Y??

If you must call .. do it on Wednesday. Please not on Tuesday :)

She may have typed the form and will be able to tell you that the licence  
 is going out on Thursday. If she hasn't typed the form into the computer,

I don't think she can give you an answer.

We are waiting for the first KE6A\*\* to check into our repeater..any day now.

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Bob Wilkins      n6fri                      voice 440.250+ 100pl san francisco bay area  
bwilkins@holonet.net                      packet n6fri @ n6eeg.#nocal.ca.usa.na

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Date: 3 Sep 1993 17:39:28 -0400  
From: news!clarknet.clark.net!clarknet.clark.net!postmaster@uunet.uu.net  
Subject: Morse Academy  
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

Greetings all,

After all the philosophical discussion on code, my appetite is now whetted to begin learning. One individual, whose message I did not keep mentioned a pc program called Morse Academy for converting/playing back ascii text to Morse Code. Would any kind soul point me to sources for this package, i.e. an ftp site if it is available as such or a shareware distributor, or even the author/distributor if it is not free/shareware??

Thanks much in advance.

(soon to be technician, et al.)

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Date: Fri, 03 Sep 1993 12:28:00 -0500  
From: blkcat!news@uunet.uu.net  
Subject: Non-licensed Purchase Of  
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

TB>On a somewhat related note, I was told by a Radio Shack manager that they  
TB>are instructed to refuse to sell you a scanner if you ask or say anything



TB>about monitoring cellular. Why are they so cautious about that and yet  
TB>sell amateur, marine and itinerant/GMRS transceivers without even  
TB>mentioning licenses...

I worked at a 'Shack as a seasonal salesperson a few Decembers ago.

They have a strict policy of not selling equipment when the customer indicates an intention to use it for illegal activity.

One example they gave during training was this:

If a customer comes in and buys an automatic telephone to tape recorder coupler, they just sell it. But, if the customer says he wants to record his wife's phone calls without her knowing about it, they must refuse to sell the device.

Another example was given with their (at that time, new) marine handheld. If someone came in and said they were going to use it for something other than maritime use, they have to refuse the sale.

They were very clear about this, and the consequence is termination of employment. I'm sure the same would apply to amateur and business radio products as well.

But, there salesmakers are paid by commission, and it would not surprise me if this policy is violated from time to time.

Jack

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\* SLMR 2.1a \*

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Date: Thu, 2 Sep 1993 19:56:31 GMT  
From: dog.ee.lbl.gov!agate!howland.reston.ans.net!spool.mu.edu!nigel.msen.com!  
well!moon!pixar!mongo!bruce@network.ucsd.edu  
Subject: Opinions on Alinco DR-600T (and fitting it in Toyota/Lexus dash)  
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

I have a DR-600t, and am really happy with it.

The only two mis-features I can find are that the front panel isn't made to pop out and go in your pocket when you leave the car, the way my car stereo front panel does, and that the remote command that switches the transmitter power cycles between three power settings without telling you which power setting it is on unless you can see the front panel.

I use this rig as an "extender" for my HT. It works very well in that application.

You can enable and disable cross-band-repeat remotely, change frequencies, program memories, etc. It's nice to be able to keep my DJ-580t at low power and have the rig in the car repeat it at high power.

I am using the remote-mount for the front panel, with the rest of the rig in the trunk. I have a Toyota Camry. My Camry had a black plastic panel about the size of the DR600 front panel to the left of the steering wheel. That panel contained the dashboard light dimmer, a coin holder, and two covers over blank switch holes. I relocated the dashboard light dimmer to another blank panel in the dashboard nearby, which did not take any rewiring, only some plastic work with my dremel grinding bits. I then popped out the black panel and squeezed the DR600 front panel in there. It's so tight that it stays there securely without fasteners, and it looks as if it is built into the dashboard. It's also difficult to see from outside the car, but very convenient for the driver to operate.

Bruce Perens KD60TD/AA

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Date: 3 Sep 1993 19:46:42 -0400  
From: news!clarknet.clark.net!clarknet.clark.net!postmaster@uunet.uu.net  
Subject: Request for Indirect Elmer  
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

Greetings,

I am helping my nephew get his Ham radio license (Novice/technician) but it is a bit more difficult being a long days drive apart from him. If there is some kind Elmer living on the westside of Columbus, OH who could contact me with info, I could get him in touch with you so that he can actually beat me getting the license. Here is some important info to help you decide:

Age: 13  
Zip Code 43204 (Hilltop area)  
Columbus, Ohio

Get in touch with me if you are able to provide a bit of time and support for him and for an uncle who cares to follow up on the spark of interest I saw when this young man visited me last month and saw his first ham fest (can you believe he didn't know what ham radio was !!! :-)

Much appreciated in advance.

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Date: Thu, 2 Sep 1993 20:37:55 GMT

From: dog.ee.lbl.gov!agate!spool.mu.edu!sdd.hp.com!col.hp.com!fc.hp.com!

goris@network.ucsd.edu

Subject: TH28 mods

To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

A friend of mine just got a TH28, and I was wondering if someone could repost, or e-mail me the mods and/or funny buttons to push to get extra features, like AM receive (it does have this, doesn't it?)

Thanks,

Andy Goris

AA0CM

goris@fc.hp.com  
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Date: 3 Sep 1993 23:32:29 -0400

From: swrinde!gatech!howland.reston.ans.net!noc.near.net!news.delphi.com!

news.delphi.com!not-for-mail@network.ucsd.edu

Subject: W9GR DSP KIT ??

To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

depaul@spk.hp.com (Marc DePaul) writes:

>ANYONE OUT THERE WHO HAS A REMEDY FOR THE PROBLEM I'M DECSRIBING??

>Marc DePaul

Marc, DSP theory suggests that a serious CW operator will not be satisfied with the available 50 db dynamic range from an 8-bit A/D. Timewave has vastly superior hardware with a 16-bit sigma-delat A/D...KG7BK  
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Date: 3 Sep 93 20:01:11 GMT

From: usc!howland.reston.ans.net!noc.near.net!transfer.stratus.com!jjmhome!

schunix!ksr@network.ucsd.edu

To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

References <1993Sep2.141156.23714@jupiter.sun.csd.unb.ca>, <31597@ksr.com> ,

<265790\$is2@elroy.jpl.nasa.gov>ksr  
Subject : Re: Non-licensed purchase of radio

In article <265790\$is2@elroy.jpl.nasa.gov> Lang@inst-sun1.jpl.nasa.gov (M Lang) writes:

>In article <CCoADI.GwD@pica.army.mil> Mark Ellis,  
>mellis@ramcad.pica.army.mil writes:

>> My question is: If I walk into Radio Shack, put money down, and say:

>> "Gimme dat HT-202, and I'll give you this money", can

>> (would) they ask to see a license before selling it to me?

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>No, NOBODY can ask to see a license before selling a radio to you,  
>because no law requires that.

>

> ML

Well, not exactly. Nobody is REQUIRED to ask to see a license before selling a radio (or a car, or an airplane, or a number of other things which require a license to operate), but the store CAN (and many stores do) ask for anything they damn well please before selling to you, as long as what they ask for doesn't discriminate on the basis of one of the "protected characteristics" such as race or gender.

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Date: Fri, 3 Sep 1993 15:18:40 GMT  
From: news.crd.ge.com!dssv01!kennykb@uunet.uu.net  
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

References <CCLvL8.9x9@world.std.com>, <1993Aug31.223010.23293@ica.philips.nl>,  
<1993Sep2.054040.28789@ke4zv.atl.ga.us>~\*  
Reply-To : kennykb@crd.ge.com  
Subject : Re: There goes the rest of 20M

In article <1993Sep2.054040.28789@ke4zv.atl.ga.us>, gary@ke4zv.atl.ga.us (Gary Coffman) writes:

|> No because the commercial manufacturers froze the technology too early  
|> by including Bell 202 modems in their TNC products. It's a sad fact that  
|> most amateurs just buy a box and use it. However, now that 9600 baud  
|> add on modems are available commercially, I've seen a marked increase  
|> in 9600 baud activity. Unfortunately, the hams are still using their  
|> existing FM rigs instead of multimodes though, so the spectrum isn't  
|> being conserved effectively.

|>

|> HF \*is\* different. The hams already have the SSB radios, and many of  
|> the HF forwarding stations seem to have jumped on the Clover bandwagon.

|> But the PK-232s and KAMs still outnumber the superior equipment. That  
|> should change in time as the manufacturers begin to catch up with the  
|> state of the art. No doubt though someone will still be banging on a  
|> C64 with a digicom adapter in 20 years.

In a way, then, the advent of DSP could be the salvation of these  
modes. In a DSP world, if someone comes up with a nifty new  
modulation scheme, you get new software and you're on your way.

One of these days, I wanna try building a digital SSB system. Use a  
low IF (say 70 KHz or so), with either phasing or Weaver modulation  
and detection in DSP software. I'm particularly intrigued by the  
Weaver method, because it requires 'brick wall' filtering at AF,  
control of both phase and group delay, but only very limited bandwidth  
-- seems that even a slow DSP processor could do it. Anyone done this  
one yet?

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